

OKLAHOMA CORPORATION COMMISSION

Jim Thorpe Office Bldg., Suite 580
Oklahoma City, OK 73105

P. O. Box 52000
Oklahoma City, OK 73152

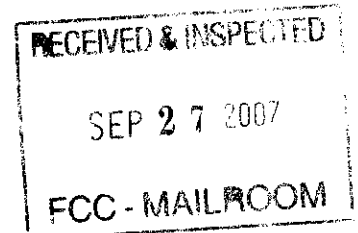
JOYCE E. DAVIDSON, DIRECTOR PUBLIC UTILITY DIVISION

Phone: (405)-521-4114

<http://www.occ.state.ok.us>

Fax: (405)-521-3336

~~DOCKET FILE COPY ORIGINAL~~



September 26, 2007

Marlene H. Dortch
Office of the Secretary
Federal Communications Commission
9300 East Hampton Dr.
Capital Heights, Maryland 20743

Re: CC Docket No. 96-45 - State Certification of USF Support for Rural Carriers

Dear Ms. Dortch,

This letter is submitted pursuant to 47 CFR §54.314, which requires state certification of the use of federal universal service funds as a prerequisite for continued receipt of funding by rural incumbent local exchange carriers and/or eligible telecommunications carriers. We, the Oklahoma Corporation Commission (OCC), govern local services and rates in Oklahoma and are the appropriate authority to issue certification under §54.314.

Each rural carrier operating in Oklahoma has provided the OCC with an affidavit signed by a corporate officer, that includes a sworn statement affirming that the federal high-cost support received has been used only for the provision, maintenance, and upgrading of facilities and services for which the support is intended.

We declare that to the best of our knowledge and belief, all federal high-cost support received by such rural carriers operating in Oklahoma (see attached list) has been used only for the provision, maintenance, and upgrading of facilities and services for which the support is intended.

Our certification herein does not preclude us from reviewing in further detail how any rural carrier has employed its federal universal service funds and ordering that the use of funds comply with directives or policies we may set. Our certification is based on the best data available as of today. Our decision herein does not bind us in future or pending cases and we reserve the right to conclude, given better data or a more detailed review, that a company should employ its universal service funding differently than it does today or in the future.

No. of Copies rec'd _____
List ABCDE

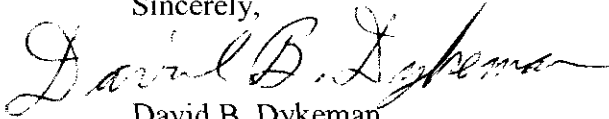
0 + 1

We believe that this certification complies with the Federal Communications Commission requirement.

Please acknowledge receipt of this filing by date stamping the extra copy of this letter and returning it to us in the self-addressed, stamped envelope provided for that purpose.

If you have any questions, please contact Barbara L. Mallett, Senior Analyst, at (405) 522-3378, or e-mail at b.mallett@occemail.com.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in cursive script, reading "David B. Dykeman".

David B. Dykeman
Acting Director
Public Utility Division
Oklahoma Corporation Commission

blm
Enc. 2
By Certified Mail

Oklahoma Corporation Commission
CC Docket No. 96-45
State Certification of USF Support for Rural Carriers

September 26, 2007

Oklahoma Corporation Commission Certification of Rural Eligible Telecommunications Carriers and/or Eligible Telecommunications Carriers in Oklahoma:

**Oklahoma Corporation Commission
USF State Certification**

RURAL ILEC's	COMPANY NAME	STUDY AREA CODE	TYPE
	Atlas Telephone Company	431966	C
	Beggs Telephone Company	431968	A
	Bixby Telephone Company	431969	C
	Canadian Valley Telephone Company	431974	C
	Carnegie Telephone Company	431976	C
	Central Oklahoma Telephone Company	431977	C
	CenturyTel of Northwest Arkansas, Inc.	431143	C
	Cherokee Telephone Company	431979	C
	Chickasaw Telephone Company	431980	C
	Chouteau Telephone Company	431981	C
	Cimarron Telephone Company	431982	C
	Cross Telephone Company	431985	C
	Dobson Telephone Company	431988	C
	Elkhart Telephone Company, Inc.	411764	C
	Grand Telephone Company, Inc.	431994	C
	Hinton Telephone Company, Inc.	431995	C
	KanOkla Telephone Association, Inc.	431788	C
	McLoud Telephone Company	432006	C
	Medicine Park Telephone Company	432008	C
	Mid-America Telephone Company	432010	C
	Oklahoma Communication Systems, Inc.	431984	C
	Oklahoma Telephone & Telegraph, Inc.	432013	C
	Oklahoma Western Telephone Company	432014	C
	Oklahoma Windstream, Inc. (f/k/a Oklahoma ALLTEL, Inc.)	432011	C
	Panhandle Telephone Cooperative, Inc.	432016	C
	Pine Telephone Company, Inc.	432017	C
	Pinnacle Communications (f/k/a Lavaca Telephone Co.)	431704	A
	Pioneer Telephone Cooperative, Inc.	432018	C
	Pottawatomie Telephone Company	432020	C
	Salina-Spavinaw Telephone Company, Inc.	432022	C
	Santa Rosa Telephone Cooperative, Inc.	432141	A

	Shidler Telephone Company	432023	C
	South Central Telephone Association, Inc.	431831	C
	Southwest Oklahoma Telephone Company	432025	C
	Terral Telephone Company	432029	C
	Totah Telephone Company, Inc.	432030	C
	Valliant Telephone Company	432032	C
	Valor Telecommunications of Texas, LP dba Windstream Communications Southwest (f/k/a Valor Telecommunications of Texas, LP dba Valor Telecommunications of Oklahoma, LLC)	431165	C
	Windstream Oklahoma, Inc. (f/k/a ALLTEL Oklahoma, Inc.	431965	C
	Wyandotte Telephone Company	432034	C

ETC DESIGNATED	COMPANY NAME	CAUSE NO.	ORDER NO./DATE
	American Cellular Corp.	PUD #200500122	534334 / 1/18/2007
	BTC Broadband, Inc.	PUD #200600221	531813 / 11/6/2006
	Budget Phone, Inc.	PUD #200500380	523502 / 4/19/2006
	Cellular Network Partnership d/b/a Pioneer Enid/Cellular	PUD #200400464	501835 / 3/1/2005
	Central Cellular, Inc. d/b/a COTC Connections	PUD #200500304	512289 / 10/4/2005
	CenturyTel of Northwest Arkansas, LLC	PUD #200000311	443268 / 8/1/2000
	Cox Oklahoma Telcom, L.L.C.	PUD #200200119	464785 / 6/20/2002
	Cross-Valliant Cellular Partnership	PUD #200600058	526549 / 6/29/2006
	Cross Wireless, LLC d/b/a Sprocket Wireless, LLC	PUD #200500437	526547 / 6/29/2006
	Dobson Cellular Systems, Inc.	PUD #200300239	495564 / 9/28/2004
	Epic Touch	PUD #200300087	494933 / 9/15/2004
	MexTel Corp. d/b/a LifeTel	PUD #200600235	532877 / 12/5/2006
	Nexus Communications TSI, Inc.	PUD #200500519	526801 / 6/29/2006
	Oklahoma Western Telephone Co. d/b/a OWTC Cellular	PUD #200600224	534479 / 1/22/2007
	Panhandle Telecommunications Systems, Inc.	PUD #200300690	495215 / 9/21/2004
	Pine Cellular Phones, Inc.	PUD #200400629	501836 / 3/1/2005
	Sage Telecom, Inc.	PUD #200200039	463517 / 5/13/2002
	TerraCom, Inc.	PUD #200400137	494161 / 8/26/2004
	The Pager Company dba YourTel America Co. – receives only Lifeline support	PUD #200300532	484228 / 12/19/2003
	The Telephone Co.	PUD #200400335	498779 / 12/15/2004
	U.S. Cellular Corporation	PUD #200300195	495563 / 9/15/2004
	UT Phone	PUD #200400297	498477 / 12/7/2004
	Vantage Telecom, LLC d/b/a NewRoads Telecom	PUD #200600107	528526 / 8/17/2006

OKLAHOMA CORPORATION COMMISSION

Jim Thorpe Office Bldg., Suite 580
Oklahoma City, OK 73105

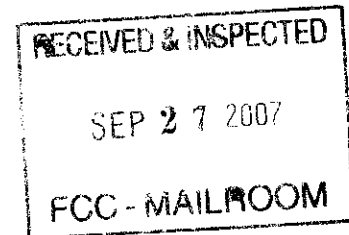
P. O. Box 52000
Oklahoma City, OK 73152

JOYCE E. DAVIDSON, DIRECTOR PUBLIC UTILITY DIVISION

Phone: (405)-521-4114

<http://www.occ.state.ok.us>

Fax: (405)-521-3336



September 26, 2007

Marlene H. Dortch
Office of the Secretary
Federal Communications Commission
9300 East Hampton Dr.
Capital Heights, Maryland 20743

Re: CC Docket No. 96-45 - State Certification of USF Support for Rural Carriers

Dear Ms. Dortch,

This letter is submitted pursuant to 47 CFR §54.314, which requires state certification of the use of federal universal service funds as a prerequisite for continued receipt of funding by rural incumbent local exchange carriers and/or eligible telecommunications carriers. We, the Oklahoma Corporation Commission (OCC), govern local services and rates in Oklahoma and are the appropriate authority to issue certification under §54.314.

Each rural carrier operating in Oklahoma has provided the OCC with an affidavit signed by a corporate officer, that includes a sworn statement affirming that the federal high-cost support received has been used only for the provision, maintenance, and upgrading of facilities and services for which the support is intended.

We declare that to the best of our knowledge and belief, all federal high-cost support received by such rural carriers operating in Oklahoma (see attached list) has been used only for the provision, maintenance, and upgrading of facilities and services for which the support is intended.

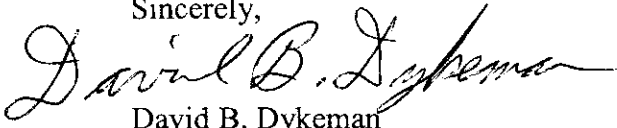
Our certification herein does not preclude us from reviewing in further detail how any rural carrier has employed its federal universal service funds and ordering that the use of funds comply with directives or policies we may set. Our certification is based on the best data available as of today. Our decision herein does not bind us in future or pending cases and we reserve the right to conclude, given better data or a more detailed review, that a company should employ its universal service funding differently than it does today or in the future.

We believe that this certification complies with the Federal Communications Commission requirement.

Please acknowledge receipt of this filing by date stamping the extra copy of this letter and returning it to us in the self-addressed, stamped envelope provided for that purpose.

If you have any questions, please contact Barbara L. Mallett, Senior Analyst, at (405) 522-3378, or e-mail at b.mallett@occemail.com.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in cursive script, reading "David B. Dykeman". The signature is written in black ink and is positioned to the left of the typed name.

David B. Dykeman
Acting Director
Public Utility Division
Oklahoma Corporation Commission

blm
Enc. 2
By Certified Mail